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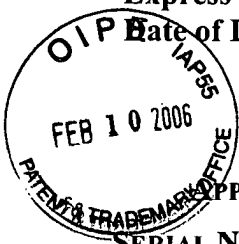
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APPLICANT : Jonathan S. Stamler

SERIAL NUMBER : 09/977,693

EXAMINER : David A. Lambertson

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FOR : *PROTEOMIC INTERACTION AND GENOMIC ACTION
DETERMINATIONS IN THE PRESENCE OF ASSOCIATED REDOX
STATE CONDITIONS*

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.114

This is a request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Enclosed herein are the following:

1. Amendment in response to April 18, 2005 Office Action and August 22, 2005 Advisory Action (13 pages);
2. Check No. 9655 in the amount of \$395.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) to cover fee for filing an Request for Continuing Examination;
3. Petition for Five Month Extension of Time (1 page) in duplicate;
4. Check No. 9654 in the amount of \$1,080.00, for the extension fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(5);
5. Return Postcard.

Pursuant to 35 USC § 1.114, Applicants herein request continued examination of Application No. 09/977,693. Included with this request are the required elements of 1) a request; 2) a submission; and 3) a fee. The submission provided herein is a response to an Advisory Action mailed August 22, 2005. With such a timely filed request, submission, and fee, Applicants believe that the amendments should be entered and considered.

Please charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 24862-503.

Respectfully submitted,

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